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MARTIN S. DUGAN LOSES HIS LIFE IN THAT MANNER.

His Cries for Help Heard by Patrolmen Milan and Hall—Probably Not Suicide.

Patrolmen Milan and Hall were startled last night at 8:50 o'clock while walking their district at Market and Missouri streets by agonizing calls for help coming from the direction of the canal just north of there at Washburn street. The patrolmen ran toward the sound and when they reached the canal bank saw through the darkness a man struggling in the water in an effort to keep at the surface. His yells for help were drowned in gurgles as he repeatedly sank beneath the surface of the water only to rise again and struggle momentarily. The policemen were unable to reach him—he was in the middle of the stream and nothing with which to help him was handy—and he finally sank beneath the surface of the water. His hat, which had fallen from his head when he fell into the water, floated slowly down stream after his disappearance.

Patrolman Milan notified headquarters and Bicycleman Duncan and Askins were sent to the scene of the drowning with grab hooks and other paraphernalia used in the recovery of dead bodies. After a little labor in throwing the hooks Askins found something on the bottom with his large grab hook and soon pulled ashore with the assistance of the other policeman. It proved to be the body of Martin S. Dugan, the drowned man. There was nothing in his pockets which would aid in identifying him, but James Allison, No. 518 West Court street, William Niswander, a patrolman Hagerty recognized him as Martin Dugan, a well-known resident of South West street.

IDENTIFIED AS MARTIN DUGAN.
From their identification it was learned that Dugan was fifty-four years old and lived at No. 28 South West street with his family, consisting of a wife and six children—Martin, John, Mary, Bridget and Katherine Dugan and Mrs. Ellen Connors. He had been employed for many years at Kingman's packing house as a cellar man. He had lived in Indianapolis for thirty years.

The cause of Dugan's death is speculative. At first suicide was suspected from the fact that he was some distance from his home and could not have been passing there homeward bound. Another reason for the theory is that two footprints, similar in size and shape to Dugan's shoes, were plainly visible in the soft gravel of the canal bank near the spot where the body was recovered. The footprints were at the edge of the canal bank, and it was concluded that Dugan had been made, and no footprints were near to show that the pedestrian who had been drinking considerably since the death of a second cousin two days ago. Thursday night he attended the wake and left there with a cousin named Kelly at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. He was under the influence of liquor during the day and evening. At 7 o'clock and until 7:30 he was in Kelly's saloon, at Washington and West streets, and left there saying he was going home. Before leaving he joked with William Niswander, who says there was nothing in the man's actions to suggest the possibility of suicide.

Special Election Ordered.
Governor Durbin has issued a proclamation calling for a special election to elect a representative to the Legislature to succeed Altkman Carnahan, deceased. Mr. Carnahan was elected from Daviess county and the election will be held there Saturday, Jan. 4.

TALK OF REPUTATION

SEVERAL WITNESSES TESTIFY THAT JENNINGS'S WAS NOT GOOD.

Defendant's Story of Alleged Assault Varies Greatly from that Told by the Plaintiff.

ALTERCATION IN CORRIDOR

JENNINGS SUBJECTS JUDGE THOMAS BUSKIRK TO CRITICISM.

The Latter's Testimony Was Not Agreeable to Him—May Go to the Jury Monday Night.

Before the defense rested its case yesterday in the Federal Court in the trial of David A. Jennings for \$300,000 damages for alleged assault against certain citizens of Salem a few of the witnesses were placed on the stand, and their testimony as to the actual occurrences on the night of Jan. 20, 1900, when Jennings was waylaid, was quite different from the story told by Jennings. John D. Alvis, named as one of the defendants, but who the evidence has shown was not in the party that waylaid Jennings, testified that there was an iron fence around Jennings's property in Salem instead of a wooden fence, as was testified by some of the plaintiff's witnesses.

Bevity T. Pace, a defendant, denied the story told by Jennings that he (Pace) had been implored to protect Jennings the night of the alleged assault. Mr. Pace said Jennings made no appeal to him, as there was no occasion for it. He also denied that he wore a mask or that any one in the crowd was masked. Asa Elliott, Volney T. Reed, Eli W. Menaugh and Mr. Pace, all of whom are defendants, denied that there were any threats made against Jennings on the night in question, and further denied that Jennings was struck by any one in the party. They said a demand was made for the pamphlets, but no violence was attempted.

Mr. Reed and Mr. Elliott, who were in the party that went to Jennings's home before Jennings was waylaid, and who were charged by Mrs. Jennings in her testimony of having threatened to break down the doors and house unless she gave them the pamphlets, denied that they used any threats to Mrs. Jennings. Other testimony was introduced to show that the evidence of Jennings, Mrs. Jennings and the Jennings boy was not correct. Jennings stated that when he went to his house with the crowd he asked his daughter to open the door and that his desk where the pamphlets were kept was locked. Mr. Reed and Mr. Elliott said that Jennings did not ask his daughter to open the door, but walked into the house with the crowd, and the story that he had to search for the keys was not true, as the desk was unlocked.

DEPOSITIONS READ.
A number of depositions were read by the defendants' attorneys during the morning session and several character witnesses were examined. Judge Thomas Buskirk, of Paoli, testified that Jennings's reputation while a resident of Salem was bad. When he left the stand Jennings met him in the corridor and accused Judge Buskirk of testifying falsely against him. Judge Buskirk said he was then under the jurisdiction of the Federal Court and would not get into an altercation with Jennings. Quite a crowd gathered around the two and when Jennings became more abusive Judge Buskirk walked away.

The defense finished its side of the case during the afternoon and Attorney Rooker began examining witnesses to show that Jennings bore a good reputation while a resident of Salem. Among the character witnesses for Jennings were John R. Sutherland, William E. Potter, H. O. Painter, John Rudman, Thomas B. Cauble, Harriet Prow, William B. Buttorff and Claude Painter. They all said Jennings had a good reputation for moral character, truth and veracity. Thomas B. Cauble admitted on cross-examination that he accounts as treasurer of the county showed a shortage of about \$2,100 and said Jennings, gave a note to help make good the shortage, but left Salem without paying it. Part of the witnesses claimed they had never heard of Jennings having been convicted at Salem for whipping his child and on other charges. William B. Buttorff made poor witness for Jennings as he admitted that a man who had acted as Jennings was charged with conducting himself could not be a very moral man.

It looks now as if the case would go to the jury Monday evening. There has been an impression among those who have followed the case that should the jury give Jennings damages for any amount the defendants would have to pay the cost. This is not true. The jury would have to give Jennings at least \$500 damages before the cost of the trial could be assessed against the defendants.

FIRE IN A FACTORY.

Puritan Bed Springs Plant Suffers a Loss of \$25,000.

A threatening fire broke out yesterday morning, at 2 o'clock, in the Puritan bed springs factory, Kentucky avenue and White river, and before it was extinguished a loss estimated at \$25,000 occurred. During the fire William Grady, a pipeman of the No. 6 engine company, was badly injured by falling from a ladder. The fire started in the jannapanning room and spread rapidly over the main building. Henry Hunter, night watchman, saw the fire as it burst through the roof and turned in an alarm. The building, a two-story frame structure, and burned rapidly. Apart from the building is the warehouse, and when the fire department arrived a second alarm was quickly sent in to save adjoining property. None of the stock in the warehouse was damaged. The salvage corps spread tarpaulins over the machinery and saved it from damage. The loss to the building is estimated at \$10,000, and the remainder of the loss was placed on the stock in process of manufacture.

GEN. WALLACE ATTENDS.

With His Family He Occupies a Box and Sees "Ben-Hur."

General Wallace and his family had a box at the performance of "Ben-Hur" at English's yesterday afternoon. It was an extra performance, given to partially satisfy the demand for more seats than were obtainable at the regular performances. The author of the novel on which the spectacular play is based was not at the performance, but his presence was noted by any part of the audience there was no demonstration. General Wallace has seen performances of "Ben-Hur" in many cities, and, of course, attended the premier in New York. He was present at the presentation of the play in London, which was more elaborate even than that in this country.

CAPITAL OF \$500,000.

United States Trust Company, of Terre Haute, Incorporated.

William R. McKeen, of Terre Haute, is a big stockholder in the United States Trust Company, of that city, recently organized and incorporated yesterday. The capital stock of the new trust company is \$500,000. It will commence business Jan. 10, 1903. The directors, besides Mr. McKeen, are Dennis Deming, A. J. Crawford, Herman Hulman, Charles Minshall, Buena V. Marshall, B. G. Hudnut, Anton Mayer, W. S. Ren, R. F. Falley and J. T. Berry.

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LACK OF PROSECUTION

TWO SUITS DISMISSED IN THE FEDERAL COURT.

Defendants Owned One Hundred Thousand Acres of Michigan Timber Land—Bankruptcy Petition.

Two suits were dismissed in the Federal Court yesterday for want of prosecution. They were the cases of the Muskegon Road Company vs. Emmet H. Scott, Frank H. Morrison, Frank Pitner, W. A. Marti and E. F. Michael, and Timothy Nest, against the same defendants. The Muskegon Railway Company alleged the defendants were the directors of the Lac La Belle Company, which owned 100,000 acres of timber land in Michigan. Most of the directors reside at Laporte, Ind. It was alleged that later the company sold 50,000 acres to Joseph H. Berry and the latter has refused to ship the timber on the plaintiff's road. The railway company sued for \$200,000 damages. Nest claimed he had a contract with the Lac La Belle Company whereby he was to receive a certain per cent. of the profits and he claimed the company owed him between \$25,000 and \$30,000. Both the cases, however, were dismissed.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Reuben O. Myers, a South Bend merchant, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His liabilities are \$9,910.66 and assets \$5,500. Fahmley & McCrea, of Indianapolis, are named among the creditors, the amount due the Indianapolis firm being \$3,000.

Elmer E. Harvey, a Muncie bartender, filed his bankruptcy petition giving his liabilities as \$2,285.50 and assets as \$65. The debts were incurred between 1895 and 1896. In Indianapolis liquor firms are named among the creditors.

Charles H. Clewell, of Peru, filed a bankruptcy petition, giving his liabilities as \$1,513.50 and assets \$558.20.

COLLISION ON A BRIDGE.

Stockyards Street Car Bumps Into Coal Wagon.

William D. Hutton, a driver for the A. I. Meyer Coal Company, was injured last night, at 9 o'clock, by a Stockyards street car on the Morris-street bridge. Hutton was driving to West Indianapolis to deliver a load of coal. He had nearly crossed the bridge when the accident occurred. The car struck the wagon with such force that two wheels were knocked off the wagon and the car was thrown sideways across the track. When the car struck the wagon Hutton was knocked to the floor of the bridge, and received injuries to his spine and shoulders. He was carried to the office of Dr. Gebauer, and later sent to his home at 1518 Hoyt avenue. The front end of the car was badly damaged. The flooring of the bridge where the car left the tracks was also torn up.

SWAM WHITE RIVER.

Man that Escaped from Noblesville Jail Took No Chances.

Deputy Sheriff Bray, of Noblesville, was in the city yesterday and last night, aiding the Indianapolis police in the search for Emanuel Passwater and Bert Collop, two prisoners who escaped from the Hamilton county jail yesterday morning. Bray said that the prisoners had started toward this city and he was confident they were here. Passwater was arrested at the instance of his wife. Collop was in jail, awaiting sentence on a larceny charge. When Bray took the men into the prison yesterday morning the two men were concealed behind a door and got out. They were followed to Third street by a patrolman, and two miles west, where one of the men swam the river. The sheriff and his deputies could not cross the water, and by the time they arrived at the bridge some distance farther up stream the prisoners were not in evidence.

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PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

Change of Time, Taking Effect Sunday, Dec. 14, 1902.

VINCENNES DIVISION.
Following trains discontinued: Nos. 40, 41, 42 and 43, and No. 49, Sunday only, between Indianapolis and Martinsville.
No. 47, Spencer accommodation, daily, except Sunday, will leave Indianapolis 7:15 p. m. instead of 5:45 p. m.
No. 48, daily, except Sunday, will leave Spencer 6 a. m.; arrive Indianapolis 7:50 a. m.; No. 20 and 21 will run daily.

CHICAGO DIVISION.
No. 1, Chicago fast express, will leave Indianapolis 12:30 a. m. instead of 12:30 a. m.

LOUISVILLE DIVISION.
No. 6 for Louisville will leave Indianapolis 12:40 a. m. instead of 3:45 a. m.
No. 132 on Madison branch discontinued, and No. 115 will run daily.

INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION.
No. 14, Sunday only, will leave Madison 5 p. m. instead of 6 p. m.; arrive Indianapolis 8:15 p. m.
No. 24, Cambridge City branch, will leave Columbus 7:35 p. m.; arrive Cambridge City 9:45 p. m.

RICHMOND AND LOGANSPOUT DIVISIONS.
BETWEEN CINCINNATI AND CHICAGO.
A new train, No. 11, north-bound, will leave Cincinnati daily at 4:30 p. m., Richmond 6:45 p. m., Logansport 10:30 p. m.; arrive Chicago 1:20 a. m.

A new train, No. 12, south-bound, will leave Chicago daily at 12:01 midnight, arrive Logansport 3:15 a. m., Richmond 6:45 a. m. and Cincinnati 9 a. m.

First train north-bound will leave Cincinnati Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14; south-bound will leave Chicago Monday morning, Dec. 15.

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